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## POLICY BRANCH INFORMATION

## **Actions Taken**

The Commission, by its International Bureau, took the following actions pursuant to delegated authority. The effective date of these actions is the release date of this Notice, except where an effective date is specified.

SAT-MOD-20080630-00133 E S2422 PanAmSat Licensee Corp.

Modification

Granted in Part / Dismissed in Part Effective Date: 09/02/2008

Nature of Service: Fixed Satellite Service

On September 2, 2008, the Policy Branch granted with conditions the request of PanAmSat Licensee Corp. to modify its authorization for its Fixed-Satellite Service Galaxy 12 satellite, (call sign S2422) to operate Galaxy 12 as an in-orbit spare at the 122.9° W.L. orbital location in the 3700-4200 MHz (space-to-Earth) and 5925-6425 MHz (Earth-to-space) frequency bands.

See File No. SAT-STA-20080826-00160.

SAT-STA-20080826-00160 E S2422 PanAmSat Licensee Corp.

Special Temporary Authority

Grant of Authority Effective Date: 09/02/2008

PanAmSat Licensee Corp. filed for a 30 days extension for special temporary authorityn (STA), through 9/27/2008, to drift the Galaxy 12 satellite from 125.10 W.L. to 122.9 W.L. On September 2, 2008, the Policy Branch granted the associated modification application (File No. SAT-MOD-20080630-00133), and therefore, PanAmSat's request for STA is GRANTED to the extent necessary and otherwise DISMISSED as moot.

SAT-STA-20080828-00162 E Sirius XM Radio Inc.

Special Temporary Authority
Withdrawn Effective Date: 08/29/2008

On August 29, 2008, Sirius XM Radio Inc. withdrew its application for special temporary authority for 180 days to continue to operate certain terrestrial repeaters.

INFORMATIVE

SAT-MOD-20060511-00056 S2346 ATCONTACT COMMUNICATIONS, LLC

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SAT-MOD-20060511-00057 /58 /59 /60 S2680, S2681, S2682, S2683

The Bureau has determined that ATCONTACT Communications, LLC (ATCONTACT) has met the Critical Design Review milestone requirement associated with this authorization. Accordingly, ATCONTACT may reduce the bond amount by an additional 20% as provided in the Amendment of the Commission's Space Station Licensing Rules and Policies, First Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, IB Docket No. 02-34, 18 FCC Rcd 10760 (2003); Amendment of the Commission's Space Station Licensing Rules and Policies, First Order on Reconsideration and Fifth Report and Order, IB Docket No. 02-34, 19 FCC Rcd 12637 (2004), 47 C.F.R. § 25.165(d).

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